



# NEWS RELEASE

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## FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

### Full Night Closures of East/West I-80 Lanes Next Week in Hercules

**Hercules-**Caltrans Construction crews will close all lanes of eastbound I-80 in Hercules and traffic will be detoured off the freeway at the Willow Avenue off-ramp between the hours of 1:00 a.m. and 5:00 a.m. on Monday night/Tuesday morning and Tuesday night/Wednesday morning July 17<sup>th</sup>/18<sup>th</sup> and July 18<sup>th</sup>/19<sup>th</sup>, for the purpose of structure demolition of the eastern portion of the California Street Overcrossing Bridge.

Eastbound I-80 traffic will be detoured off the freeway at the Willow Avenue exit and then right at the end of the ramp onto Willow Avenue west and then onto westbound Parker Avenue and from Parker Avenue to northbound San Pablo Avenue and then back onto eastbound I-80 from San Pablo on-ramp to eastbound I-80 in Crocket.

On Wednesday night/Thursday morning and Thursday night/Friday morning the westbound lanes of I-80 will be closed and traffic will be detoured off the freeway at the Crocket off-ramp between the hours of 12:00 a.m. (midnight) and 4:00 a.m. and on Friday night/Saturday morning from 1:00 a.m. to 4:00 a.m. for the purpose of structure demolition of the western portion of the California Street Overcrossing Bridge.

Westbound I-80 traffic will be detoured off the freeway at the Crocket off-ramp and then right onto San Pablo Avenue and west of San Pablo Avenue to Parker Avenue and from Parker Avenue to Willow Avenue and back onto westbound I-80 at the Willow Avenue on-ramp.

Traffic delays are anticipated, and motorists are advised to use caution through the area. Motorists are also advised that traffic violations in Maintenance and Construction zones, are subject to double fines and to **“slow for the cone zone”**.

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